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1. Name of Department or Agency

U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission

2. Subdivision or Office

Nuclear Material Safety and Safeguards

3. Rule Title

Geological and Seismological Characteristics for Siting and Design of Dry Cask Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installations and Monitored Retrievalbe Storage Installations

4. Regulation Identifier Number (RIN) or Other Unique Identifier (if applicable)

RIN 3150-AG93

5. Major Rule ☐ Non-major Rule ☒

6. Final Rule ☒ Other ☐

7. With respect to this rule, did your agency solicit public comments?

Yes ☒ No ☐ N/A ☐

8. Priority of Regulation (fill in one)

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Significant; or
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9. Effective Date (if applicable)

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10. Concise Summary of Rule (fill in one or both)

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Submitted by: _____ (signature)

Name: **Dennis Rathbun**

Title: **Director, Office of Congressional Affairs**

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B. With respect to this rule, by the final rulemaking stage, did your agency			
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